Offices the accounts of which are not audited by the Accounts Department.

229. Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—Will the Government be pleased to state the names of offices whose accounts are not audited by the Accounts Department of the Government and the reasons why they are not audited ?

Mr. K. Krishna Pisharodi.—The more important of the offices whose accounts are not audited are those of :—

1. The Diwan Peishkar.
2. Co-operative Registrar.
3. Superintendent of Registration.
4. Do of Excise.
5. Do of Anchal.
6. Secretary to the Diwan.
7. Commissioner of Police.
8. Director of Public Instruction.
9. Chief Medical and Sanitary Officer.
10. The Chief Court, etc.

The main reason appears to have been that these and other offices had not comparatively large money transactions or store accounts which required detailed check by the Local Audit Staff.

Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—May I know whether the Government has any idea to make arrangements to audit these offices also ?

Mr. K. Krishna Pisharodi.—Government is slowly adding a few offices gradually, and we have during the last two years added 4 or 5 offices into the local audit.

Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—As we hear of defalcations in the Huzur even, why not take up these offices also for audit ?

Mr. K. Krishna Pisharodi.—The matter will be considered.

Training of candidates at Dehra Dun.

230. Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—Will the Government be pleased to state (a) the names of the applicants for the recent selection of candidates for training at Dehra Dun, their respective qualifications, and the names of their relations in the service of the Government, if any;

(b) who were selected and what were the reasons for their selection ?

Mr. K. Ramunni Menon.—(a) For parts 1 and 2 please see *Appendix II*.

Third part. The names of the relations are not known except those of 10 and 11 of the list. They are Messrs. P. V. Sreenivasa Ayyar and P. Nilakanta Menon.

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(b) S. Venkiteswaran and P. Achyuta Menon were selected. They were the best of the lot.

Over-payments to Contractors.

231. Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) whether there were any over-payments to contractors under P. W. D. during the years 1103 and 1104;

(b) if so, who were such contractors, how much excess was paid, and how was the matter finally adjusted in each case ?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon.—(a) Yes.

Mr. N. O. Inasu

Rs. 177-10-0 { Rs. 52-3-0 in 1103.
" 125-7-0 in 1104.

By recovery from his other bills.

Tenders for the supply of salt.

232. Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—Will the Government be pleased to state the names of persons who submitted tenders for the State supply of salt for the years 1104 and 1105; what are the rates of each of them, to whom was the contract given each year and what was the reason for preference, if any ?

Mr. T. V. Ramalinga Ayyar.—The Member is referred to the answer to question No. 135 of the Legislative Session of 1103.

1105.

Name of tenderer.	Rates per 100 lbs. Jada. Rs.	Barras. Rs.
1. Mohamed Haji Gani of Mattancheri.	79	71
2. Mohamed Ebrahim Mohamed of Jaffer & Co., Bombay.	77/4	67/4
Do. revised	67	
3. V. N. P. Ramaswamy Nadar Virudhu agar.	75 (claimed wastage allowance).	65
4. P. Ouseph Kundukulam Parappur	67	65

The contract was given to Mohamed Ebrahim Mohamed Jaffer and Co., as the samples of his salt were found to be the best and he was believed to be best fitted to perform the contract satisfactorily.

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APPENDIX II.

(Vide Answer to Question No. 230).

List of applications received for training in Forestry.

Serial No.	*Name.*	*Qualification.*
1	A. K. Sambhan	B. A. (Hons.), (Physics)
2	A. Sankara Menon	B. A. (Chemistry)
3	P. Narayana Menon	do (Physics)
4	A. S. Seshadri	do (Chemistry)
5	M. Madhava Menon	do (Zoology and Botany)
6	C. I. Varghese	do do
7	A. P. Madhava Menon	B. A. (Hons.) (Chemistry)
8	T. Gopala Marar	B. A. (Zoology and Botany)
9	M. I. Kuriakose	do do
10	S. Venkiteswaran	do do
11	P. Achyuta Menon	do do
12	P. Govindankutti Menon	do (Mathematics)*
13	V. Sankara Panikkar	do (Zoology and Botany)
14	K. Rama Pisharodi	do do
15	P. Narayanaswami	do (Physics)
16	T. H. Krishna Ayyar	do (Chemistry)*
17	A. Gopala Menon	do (Physics)
18	V. Balakrishna Menon	do (Mathematics)
19	M. Sankara Menon	do (Zoology and Botany)
20	K. Govinda Menon	do (Mathematics)
21	A. V. Krishna Ayyar	do (Zoology and Botany)
22	P. Chandrasekhara Menon	B. A. (Hons.) (Physics)
23	C. R. Sivaramakrishna Ayyar	B. A. (Botany)
24	V. P. Raman	do (Zoology and Botany)

* As per application received they had appeared for the examination but the results are not known.

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